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MORE REPORTS & RUMORS

Including Captures of Boer Prisoners and Flags.

A LEVY EN MASSE OF MILITIA

Said to Be Contemplated and 90,000 More Men To Be Sent—Big Force Now Engaged—Boers Inciting Basutos to Rise—Latest From Mafeking—Trouble in Khartoum.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—(Special)—There is absolutely no fresh war news today, but the belief is, that Roberts already has commenced active operations.

REMOVED CAPTURE OF PRISONERS. There is a rumor that Gen. French has taken 800 Boer prisoners, but when or where is not stated.

CAPTURED BOER ELAGS. Col. Plumer's force working down from Gaberones, captured two Transvaal flags on Jan. 23rd.

A SENSATIONAL RUMOR. A sensational rumor says the British Government will put the Militia Ballot Act in force on February 14, which makes every unmarried man between 18 and 30 liable to five years' service.

HAS ROBERTS ASKED FOR MORE? A report also says Lord Roberts has asked for 90,000 more troops, that the Government has granted them and will send 50,000 militia volunteers and 40,000 reserves.

TRYING TO INCITE BASUTOS. The Times says it is known that Boer emissaries are among the Basutos trying to stir them up to rebellion against England.

LATEST FROM MAFKING.

Col. Plumer reports by way of Bulawayo that he received a message from Col. Baden Powell, dated January 19, as follows:

"All well during the last fortnight. Have been pushing out the trenches toward the enemy's big guns and January 16 their 94 pounder and high velocity Krupp evacuated their positions and retired eastward of the town, where they are capable of little damage.

Have thus pushed the enemy on three sides well out of rifle shot. "Have opened a new grazing ground for cattle.

"The enemy still has two strong positions on the east side, which we hope to shift with dynamite."

THE FORCES ENGAGED.

In the debate on the address in Parliament, Mr. Windham, Under Secretary of State for War said that exclusive of the Eight Division and the Fourth Cavalry Brigade. Great Britain now had the following forces engaged in the war:—142,000 foot and artillery, 37,000 cavalry, 36 siege guns, 38 naval guns, 36 howitzers, 54 batteries of horse artillery and 234 field guns.

The combined forces of two Dutch Republics were estimated in 1898 at 50,000 men.

SOUDANESE SOLDIERS MAKE TROUBLE.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—(Special)—Advices received today confirm the reports that trouble has broken out among the Soudanese troops in Khartoum.

The Khedive has been appealed to and has urged obedience on the troops. It is said most of the English officers in Egypt have been sent secretly to South Africa and that a number of soldiers have also gone thither.

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CAMP OF THE CANADIANS. The military correspondents with the regiment writing notes.—Black and White.

ANOTHER MASSACRE

Of Christians Planned by The Turks.

A BOGUS MONEY GANG

White Pass Customs—Children Perish—Canadian Promoted—Goubel Living.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—(Special)—Fears are growing that the Turks contemplate another massacre of Christians in Armenia.

Many reasons for this fear exist, and seem to be accumulating.

GOV. GOEBEL STILL LIVING. FRANKFORT, Ky., Feb. 2.—(Special)—Governor Goebel passed a comfortable night and is resting easily.

CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH. KATANOAK, Ky., Feb. 2.—(Special)—The house of George Winans of Boutonville, was burned and their four children perished in the flames.

CUSTOM HOUSE AT WHITE PASS. SEATTLE, Feb. 2.—(Special). In conformity with modus vivendi the Canadian officials have moved their custom house from Log Cabin to the summit of the White Pass, side by side with the United States custom office.

A GANG OF COUNTERFEITERS.

TORONTO, Feb. 2.—(Special)—Anthony Decker, an expert engraver of Baltimore, whom Dominion Police have captured, his son Paul at Woodstock, Ont., Mrs. Paul at Hamilton and Hous Kuntz, a confederate at London were a gang of expert counterfeiters who flooded the country with \$2 bills.

Full evidence to convict was secured and further arrests are expected.

CANADIAN GETS A COMMISSION.

HALIFAX, Feb. 2.—(Special)—Robie Burrell of Kingston Military College, son of Charles Burrell of Weymouth has been given a commission in the Royal Artillery.

A Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the Full Electric Company of P. E. I., will be held at the office of A. A. Bartlett, MacEachern's Building, Queen St. on Tuesday evening Feb. 6th at 8 o'clock. Matter of importance will be discussed. A. A. BARTLETT. Sec. Treas.



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Was the Opinion of Those Who Attended Last Night.

A REGULAR ABEGWEIT NIGHT

They Win Both Games—Sharp Snappy Playing—The Large Audience Enthusiastic Over the Brilliant Work of Many of the Players.

For many years hockey has been the popular winter game in this city, and its devotees are legion. Excellent work has been done in past seasons by the various teams, but rarely, if ever, have more keenly contested games been witnessed or better hockey played than in last night's matches. Early in the evening hundreds wended their way to Hillsborough Rink in anxious anticipation, and the colors of the clubs were prominently displayed by their respective admirers. The conditions for fast hockey were good, the icy arena being hardened by the recent frost. Since the Abbies' recent defeat at Summerside, opinions were divided as to the result. Jas.

Abegweits 3—Vics. 1. A good run by Worth resulted in a score. Abegweits 3—Vics. 2. No further goals were made during the first half. After fifteen minutes intermission, the teams again faced off. In the first game the puck was much in Vics' territory where Sullivan scored. Abegweits 4—Vics. 2. Abbies again repeated the trick. McLeod scoring Abegweits 5—Vics. 2. The Vics. forwards then pulled themselves together and by skillful work sent the rubber between the posts. Abegweits 5—Vics. 3. In the remaining time the Abbies



Last Night's Body Checking.



A Hockey Scene.

McMillan played at point, while V. Jost replaced Praught between the posts, thereby greatly strengthening the Abegweits' defence.

The Vics also had changes, W. Worth taking Weeks' position in the forward line, and Woods attempted the defence of their goal.

The puck was bullied at the line-up at 8.15 by McLeod and H. Brehaut. Play commenced fast and furious, much body checking being indulged in, and after 15 minutes play, Bethune by a lift scored for his team.

Abegweits 1, Victorias 0. Play was resumed more aggressively, H. Brehaut soon lifting a goal.

Abegweits 1, Vics 1. The evening score was both teams up and the rubber was chased from end to end of the rink.

Sullivan by a brilliant run carried the puck the entire length of the rink and scored.

Abegweits 2—Vics. 1. Bethune, who played an excellent game during the night, and whose lifts were well directed, again scored from cover.

scored twice, while their opponents added one to their credit. Abegweits 7—Vics. 4.

During the progress of the game the enthusiasm was unbounded, and much encouragement was shouted to each team, while deafening cheers greeted goals scored.

The Abbies appear to have returned to their old form, and goal combination work was displayed by both their teams.

Bethune made 3 goals, Sullivan 2, McLeod 1, Howatt 1, while H. Brehaut scored three times and Worth once for the Victorias.

Mr. C. Roy acted as referee, with E. C. Prowse and Jas. McEachern as umpires.

NOTES. The delay between the two games seemed needless.

V. Jost in goal is scarcely less worthy than his brother Stanley, which is saying much.

It was an Abegweit night. Would it be well to procure several pucks? The standing of the senior teams is as follows:

Table with 4 columns: Team, Won, Lost, To be Played. Abegweits—2, 1, 1; Crystals—2, 0, 2; Victorias—0, 3, 1.

Owing to the late hour the second match cannot be given in detail. The game between the teams was too-sided to be interesting. The 2nd Victorias have played excellent hockey in past games, but met their Waterloo from the youngsters of the 2nd Abbies, last night by a score of 7-2.

Dr. Alley was referee, and M. Sellers and George Thorne umpires. "Breaths freely now!" your friend exclaims when he has satisfactory explained some alarm news. So we say when we hand you a Bottle of Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam for any kind of trouble in the air passage. 25c. all druggists.

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